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**RULE 116 AMENDMENT
RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION**

In re Application of: John E. Schier
Serial No.: 09/745,461
Filing Date: December 21, 2000
Group Art Unit: 2134
Examiner: Thomas M. Ho
Title: *Secure Messaging Communication System*

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RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S ACTION

In response to the Final Office Action mailed July 29, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the claims in view of the following amendments and comments as set forth below.

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